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SUBJECT: UZBEKISTAN: NO RESPONSE TO COMMITTEE AGAINST
TORTURE ELECTION DEMARCHE

REF: STATE 107679

Classified By: CDA BRAD HANSON FOR REASONS 1.4 (B, D).

(C) On August 20, Poloff delivered reftel information to UN and International Organizations Department First Secretary Avazbek Khodjimetrov. Khodjimetrov said that his department was already discussing whether to support Ms. Felice Gaer in the Committee Against Torture (CAT) election, but they have not made a decision yet. He said that Post would be informed as soon as a decision has been made. Khodjimetrov could not confirm whether Uzbekistan was sending representatives to the meeting of the States Parties scheduled for October 8 in Geneva.

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